

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:)	Group Art Unit: 4143
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Komuro et al.)	Examiner: UBER, NATHAN C
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Serial No.: 10/501,526)	Confirmation No.: 7145
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Filed: 07-16-2004)	<u>REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF</u>
)	<u>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE</u>
Atty. File No.: 5553KO1-1)	<u>STATEMENT SUBMITTED AUGUST 12,</u>
)	<u>2005</u>
For: Content delivery apparatus and)	
content creation method)	Electronically Submitted

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

On August 12, 2005, Applicants submitted an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) in the above-identified patent application. The Information Disclosure Statement, including a copy of the reference (containing a translated English Abstract, and a copy of the foreign office action originally citing the reference, both as previously provided on August 12, 2005), is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

The Information Disclosure Statement, including a copy of the cited reference, was hand delivered to the Patent Office on August 12, 2005. This is evidenced by a copy of the transmittal postcard which indicates that the postcard was both (i) entered into the docketer's logbook, and (ii) that the Information Disclosure Statement, including a copy of the cited reference, was hand delivered to the Patent Office at 5:43pm on August 12, 2005. A copy of the postcard, with notations, is attached hereto as Exhibit B.

On March 17, 2008, the Examiner issued an Official Action for the above-identified case. The Official Action stated that the IDS of August 12, 2005 (among another) was not considered by the Examiner because copies of foreign patent documents must

be submitted, along with an English abstract of each reference. The Official Action, including the lined through version of the August 12, 2005, IDS is attached hereto as Exhibit C.

Due to the fact that the reference was correctly submitted to the USPTO, with the required translation, Applicants hereby respectfully request that the Information Disclosure Statement of August 12, 2005, be considered by the Examiner.

Although no fees are believed due in connection with this communication, please charge any fees deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 19-1970. If additional information is required please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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